

Opening Remarks

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ARMD Mission and Principles

The Overarching Mission of NASA's Aeronautics Research Mission Directorate (ARMD):

- To advance U.S. technological leadership in aeronautics in partnership with industry, academia, and other government agencies that conduct aeronautics-related research.
- ARMD supports the Agency's goal of developing a balanced overall program of science, exploration, and aeronautics, and ARMD's research plans also directly support the National Aeronautics R&D Policy and accompanying Executive Order 13419.

The Three Core Principles of ARMD:

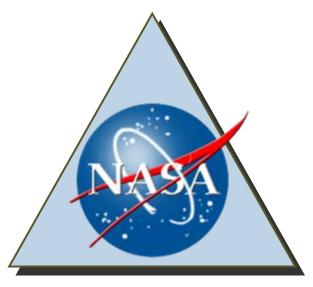
- We will dedicate ourselves to the mastery and intellectual stewardship of the core competencies of Aeronautics for the Nation in all flight regimes.
- We will focus our research in areas that are appropriate to NASA's unique capabilities.
- We will directly address the fundamental research needs of the Next Generation Air Transportation System (NextGen) in partnership with the member agencies of the Joint Planning and Development Office (JPDO).



Partnership Philosophy

- Help foster a collaborative research environment in which ideas and knowledge are exchanged across all communities
- Maximize the return on investment to the taxpayer (our main stakeholder)
- Every element of our portfolio targets innovative, pre-competitive research that will advance our Nation's aeronautical expertise
- In accordance with NASA's Space Act (as amended) and the National Aeronautics R&D Policy, we will provide for the widest practical and appropriate dissemination of our research results (consistent with national security and foreign policy)

Universities NRA/TWGs/TIMs



Government Agencies MOUs/TWGs/TIMs

Industry SBIR/NRA/SAAs/ TWGs/TIMs

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Aeronautics Research Programs

Fundamental Aeronautics Program

Conduct cutting-edge research that will produce innovative concepts, tools, and technologies to enable revolutionary changes for vehicles that fly in all speed regimes.

Aviation Safety Program

Conduct cutting-edge research that will produce innovative concepts, tools, and technologies to improve the intrinsic safety attributes of current and future aircraft.















Airspace Systems Program

Directly address the fundamental ATM research needs for NextGen by developing revolutionary concepts, capabilities, and technologies that will enable significant increases in the capacity, efficiency and flexibility of the NAS.

ARMD Addresses National Aeronautics R&D Policy and Plan Objectives

Policy

Executive Order signed December 2006

Outlines 7 basic principles to follow in order for the U.S. to "maintain its technological leadership across the aeronautics enterprise"

Mobility, national security, aviation safety, security, workforce, energy & efficiency, and environment

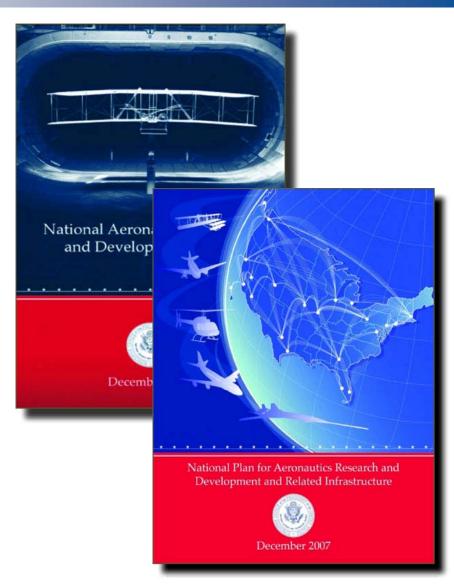
Plan (including Related Infrastructure)

Plan signed by Pres. Bush December 2007

Goals and Objectives for all basic principles (except Workforce, being worked under a separate doc)

Summary of system-level challenges in each area and the facilities needed to support related R&D

Specific quantitative targets where appropriate



Executive Order, Policy, Plan, and Goals & Objectives all available on the web For more information visit: http://www.ostp.gov/cs/nstc/documents_reports



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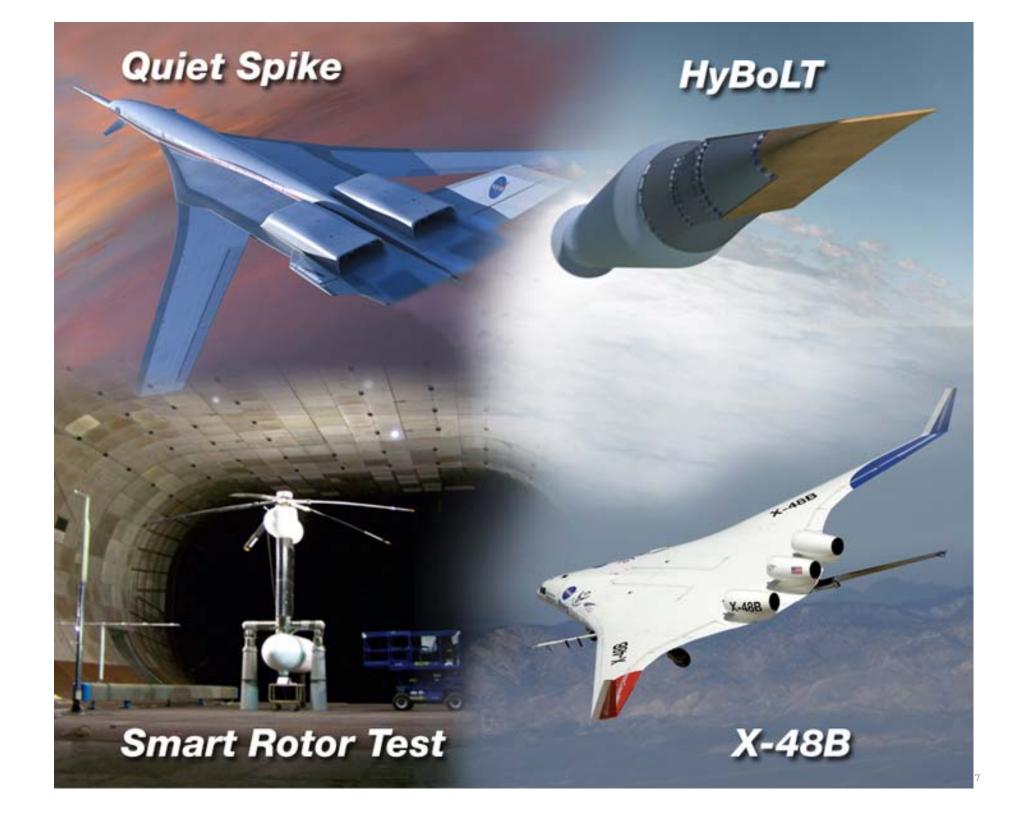
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Wyle Laboratories, Inc.

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Since the inception of the ARMD ROA NRA in 2006, 1485 proposals have been received - resulting in 350 awards (and counting). Of these 902 proposals and 219 awards are from the Fundamental Aeronautics Program







Back-up

An Illustration of NextGen

